

The Florida Senate
COMMITTEE MEETING EXPANDED AGENDA
MILITARY AND VETERANS AFFAIRS AND SPACE
Senator Wright, Chair
Senator Cruz, Vice Chair

MEETING DATE: Wednesday, March 13, 2019
TIME: 10:00 a.m.—12:00 noon
PLACE: Mallory Horne Committee Room, 37 Senate Building

MEMBERS: Senator Wright, Chair; Senator Cruz, Vice Chair; Senators Broxson, Gainer, Harrell, Pizzo, and Torres

TAB	BILL NO. and INTRODUCER	BILL DESCRIPTION and SENATE COMMITTEE ACTIONS	COMMITTEE ACTION
1	SJR 886 Brandes (Similar CS/HJR 717, Compare CS/H 719, Linked S 888)	Homestead Tax Exemption/Surviving Spouse of a Veteran; Proposing amendments to the State Constitution to provide that the homestead property tax discount for certain veterans who had permanent, combat-related disabilities carries over to the benefit of the veteran's surviving spouse under certain circumstances until he or she remarries or sells or otherwise disposes of the property, to provide that the discount for the surviving spouse is transferrable to another homestead under certain circumstances, and to provide an effective date, etc. MS 03/13/2019 Favorable FT AP	Favorable Yeas 7 Nays 0
2	SB 888 Brandes (Similar CS/H 719, Compare CS/HJR 717, Linked SJR 886)	Homestead Property Tax Discount; Providing that if certain conditions are met, the homestead property tax discount for certain disabled veterans carries over to the benefit of the veteran's surviving spouse until the surviving spouse remarries or sells or otherwise disposes of the homestead property; providing that if the surviving spouse sells the property, the discount may be transferred to his or her new primary residence, subject to certain conditions, etc. MS 03/13/2019 Fav/CS FT AP	Fav/CS Yeas 7 Nays 0

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